

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2534
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JOBS ON COMASSIONATE GROUNDS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of official of his Ministry/Departments expired while in service during each of the last three years, Year-wise;
- (b) the number of eligible dependents who have been provided with the suitable jobs on compassionate ground;
- (c) the number of eligible dependents have not yet been provided with the jobs on compassionate ground; and
- (d) the time by which the jobs on compassionate ground are likely to be provided to such eligible dependents of the deceased officials?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D.SWAMI)

(a): The number of officials in the Ministry of Home Affairs and its Departments (Main) who expired while in service during the last three years is given below:-

Year	No. of officials
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1999	5
2000	9
2001	10

Total	24
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(b) & (c): Out of the 24 officials who expired during the last three years, applications from 22 eligible dependents were received. Of these, dependent of one deceased official has been provided job on compassionate ground.

(d): Compassionate appointments are made only in Group `C` or Group `D` posts against the direct recruitment quota upto a maximum of 5% of the vacancies which become available in each recruitment year. In other words, only one vacancy can be filled on compassionate ground when atleast 20 vacancies occur under the direct recruitment quota. In view of the limited number of vacancies, it will not be possible to provide jobs to the dependents of all the deceased officials.